have been referred to the BIFR, the modernisation plan has been placed before the BIFR for their approval before implementation.

Jurisdiction of military courts

1091. SHRI PARAG CHALIHA: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that military courts have not yet been brought under appellate jurisdiction of the Supreme Court; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI N.V.N. SOMU): (a) and (b) The Constitution of India does not provide for an appeal in the Supreme Court against the finding or sentence or proceedings of a court martial held under die Army Act, the Navy Act or the Air Force Act, as the case may be. Under Article 136(2) of the Constitution, no special leave of appeal lies against any judgement, determination, sentence or order in any case or matter passed by any court or tribunal constituted by or any law relating to the Armed Forces. This is in keeping with the provisions of Article 33 of the Constitution of India, which recognises the overriding and paramount significance of maintenance of discipline among members of the Armed Forces to ensure proper discharge of their duties. However, an individual aggrieved by an order of any court or tribunal constituted by or any law relating to the Armed Forces may move the Supreme Court or any of the High Courts through a writ petition on the grounds of violation of any Fundamental Rights or the Principles of Natural Justice.

Status paper on benefit of Irrigation projects

1092. SHRI SANATAN BISI: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether status paper showing the physical benefits and financial progress of major and medium irrigation project in Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe areas have been prepared; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA): (a) Yes, Sir. Central Water Commission has prepared a status report on irrigation development under Tribal Sub Plan through Major and Medium projects. However, no specific plans for irrigation in scheduled caste areas have been chalked out, since these areas are not segregated and form a part of general social structure which get benefited through the general schemes.

Statement

Major and Medium irrigation projects covered under Tribal Sub Plan (Including pre tribal sub plan)

Sl.No	Items	Unit	Achievements
1.	Total Projects (Major & Medium)	Nos.	261
2.	Latest estimated cost	Crore Rs.	13387.88
3.	Expenditure to the end of 3/92	Crore Rs.	4542.95
4.	8th Plan Outlay	Crore Rs.	3271.86
5.	Expenditure 1992-93	Crore Rs.	400.133
6.	Expenditure 1993-94	Crore Rs.	436.24
7.	Anticipated expenditure 1994-95	Crore Rs.	420.21
8.	Approved by working Group of Planning	Crore Rs.	569.69
9.	Irrigation potential Ultimate Area	Thousand ha.	5766.321
10.	Irrigation potential TSP Area	Thousand ha.	1890.173
11.	Benefit to end of 1991-92 (Potential/Utilised)	Thousand ha.	2516.5/1825.334
12.	8th Plan target 1992—97 (Potential/Utilised)	Thousand ha.	1339.561/895.41
13.	Actual benefits 1992-93 (Potential/Utilised)	Thousand ha.	72.975/87.223
14.	Actual benefits 1993-94 (Potential/Utilised)	Thousand ha.	61.49/103.04
15.	Benefit during 1994-95 anticipated (Potential/	Thousand ha.	101.85/83.27
16.	Benefit during 1995-% target (Potential/ Utilised)	Thousand ha.	112.815/102.737